

which shows all changes relative to the previous version of the specification. Included in the substitute specification is an Abstract, provided on a separate page.

In the Claims:

Please amend the claims as follows:

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20. (Amended) A vector comprising the polynucleotide of claim 14.
 21. (Amended) The vector of claim 20, wherein said vector is selected from the group consisting of a viral vector and a virus-like particle (VLP).
 22. (Amended) The vector of claim 21, wherein said viral vector is a vaccinia vector.
 23. (Amended) The vector of claim 21, wherein said viral vector is an avipox virus vector.
 24. (Amended) The vector of claim 21, wherein said vector is a VLP.

III. RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

A. State of the Claims

Claims 14-34 were pending at the time of the Action. New claim 35 is added by the present amendment. Support for new claim 35 and the amendments is found in the claims as originally filed and in the specification. In view of the above, claims 14-35 are pending. A marked copy of the claims as amended is provided in Appendix C. A clean copy of the pending claims as amended is provided for the convenience of the Examiner in Appendix D.